

## ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to aromatic amine derivatives having a specific structure in which a substituted diphenylamino group is bonded to a pyrene structure; and organic electroluminescent devices comprising a cathode,  
5 an anode and one or plural organic thin film layers having at least a light emitting layer which are sandwiched between the cathode and the anode wherein at least one of the organic thin film layers contains the above material for organic electroluminescent devices in the form of a single substance or a component of a mixture. There are provided the material for organic  
10 electroluminescent devices exhibiting a long lifetime and a high efficiency of blue light emission, as well as the aromatic amine derivatives capable of realizing such organic electroluminescent devices.